



*Thiensville Police Department
2014 Annual Report*

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Chief Scott Nicholson

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Citizens of Thiensville
President Van Mobley
Members of the Village Board
Administrator Robertson

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen

On behalf of the men and women of the Thiensville Police Department, I'm pleased to present the 2014 Annual Report.

This Department is comprised of talented law enforcement professionals dedicated to public service and it's my honor and privilege to serve with them.

Reflecting on 2014, there were many transitions and personal accomplishments. Changes in the patrol division created opportunities for this department to hire new police officers and change assignments. The transformation from within our organization has created new experiences for growth and professional development. It has also served as an opportunity for the Department and community to benefit from this new infusion of creativity and problem solving.

As we embrace the opportunities brought about these unique times, I'm confident that the partnerships we've developed with our residents and business owners will continue to be the cornerstone that allows us to provide outstanding law enforcement services. The success of our organization is dependent upon our community-oriented policing philosophy in conjunction with the collaborative partnerships upon which we have grown to depend on.

The members of the Thiensville Police Department pride themselves in working with the close-knit community. Their commitment to excellence in public service has resulted in the crime remaining low as well as traffic safety continuing to be a priority. We are committed to ensuring quality of life is maintained within the Village, and truly appreciate the strong support that we receive from our community, elected officials, and Village staff that is so vital to a thriving community.

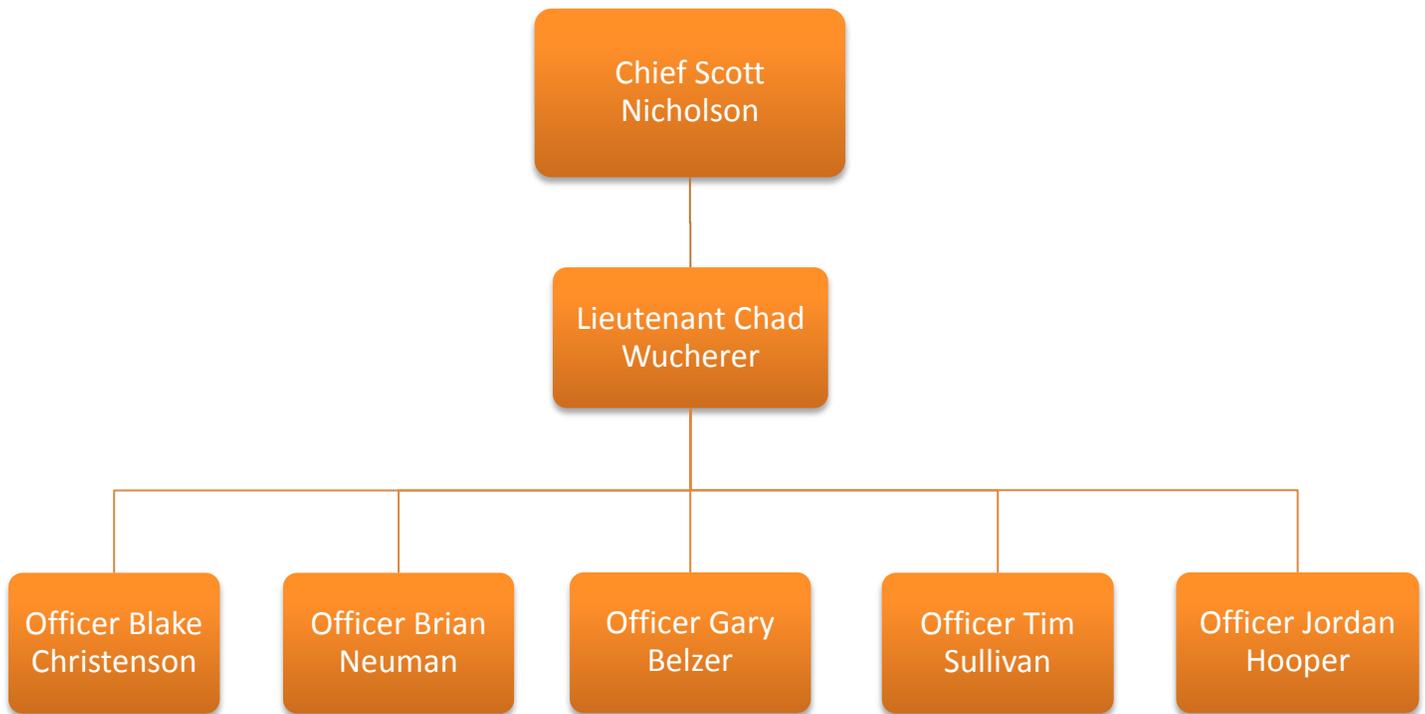
The Thiensville Police Department is fortunate to have an excellent reputation throughout the law enforcement community. Our partnership with other Ozaukee County police agencies has allowed us to enhance our level of service and impact on public safety in this area. As you read through our annual report, it's important to recognize the efforts of all our Police Department members, sworn, professional staff, and volunteers, who are committed to making a difference and keeping Thiensville a safe and prosperous community.

Thank you for your interest in our annual report. We encourage all our residents, businesses, and visitors to communicate with us any issue or concerns, and invite you to visit our office at any time, my door is always open!!

Sincerely

Scott Nicholson

Scott Nicholson
Chief of Police



Thiensville Police Department Staff Roster

Chief Scott Nicholson - hired 10/16/84

Dispatcher/Administrative Assistant - Heather Boesch - hired 1/20/14

Lieutenant Wucherer - hired 1/7/02

Officer Christenson - hired 2/5/07

Officer Neuman - hired 7/3/12

Officer Belzer - hired 8/27/12

Officer Sullivan- 2/5/14

Officer Hooper - 9/17/14

Bio's



I started my career with the Thiensville Police Department in October of 1984. I was promoted to Youth Aid Officer in 1990. In June of 2012, I was promoted to Chief of Police. I was born and raised in Milwaukee and moved to Thiensville in 1985. I have been married to my wife Sue for almost 20 years and have grown children. My hobbies include volunteering for the Thiensville Fire Department as an Emergency Medical Technician and I enjoy working outdoors during the summer.



Chad started his career with the Thiensville Police Department in January of 2002. He was promoted to the Youth Aid Officer and then was promoted to Lieutenant in January of 2013. He is currently the Department's firearms instructor and heads up the Field Training Program for our new hires. He is an Emergency Medical Technician with the Thiensville Fire Department. He oversees the Special Police Unit, which is a volunteer organization that assists the Thiensville Police Department. He and his wife have two school aged children and live in Ozaukee County. He enjoys hunting, working outside and spending time with his family.



Blake has worked for the Thiensville Police Department since January of 2007. His job responsibility is patrol, with an added responsibility of maintaining our computer data base and electronic programs to investigate crimes. Blake came here from Missouri where he was raised and attended school to obtain his Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice. When he's away from work, he enjoys spending time with his wife and young child and they currently live in Washington County.



Brian started working for the Thiensville Police Department in July of 2012. He came from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, where he worked as a Warden. He is actively involved with the Cedarburg Fire Department where he is a Lieutenant, as well as an Emergency Medical Technician. Brian attended Concordia University and Milwaukee Area Technical College, where he earned his degree in Criminal Justice. When he is not at work, he enjoys his time at the Cedarburg Fire Department and resides in Ozaukee County with his wife.



Gary started his career in 1992 with the Ozaukee County Sheriff's Department as a part-time Deputy. He was promoted to full time and assigned to the Jail Division in 1997. In 2004, he was hired as a patrolman at the Thiensville Police Department. In 2010, he continued his career, leaving Thiensville and started in Bullhead City Arizona. In 2012, Gary returned to his home in Ozaukee County with his family and was re-hired with the Thiensville Police Department, where he is currently the Crime Scene Investigator, as well as the instructor for the field drug testing kits, along with field training officer. Outside of the department, he is involved as a coach on several teams that his boys are involved with. His wife and two boys love taking family trips to Disney and taking in the sights in Wisconsin.



Tim was hired by Thiensville Police Department in February of 2014. He attended the Plymouth State University in New Hampshire and graduated with a Bachelors of Science Degree. He started his career with the New York Police Department and worked there as a Police Officer for 2 years. He left New York City and returned to his home state where he worked for the Alton Police Department in Alton, New Hampshire. After finding that special woman, he moved to Wisconsin. He has been assigned to patrol and is looking forward to getting married later this year. He enjoys any outdoor sports, especially fishing.



Jordan started his career with the Thiensville Police Department in September of 2014, which makes him our newest officer! He attended the University of Milwaukee and graduated with a Bachelors of Science Degree in Criminal Justice. He was hired by the Lake Geneva Police Department in 2013 as a part-time Officer. He was raised in Northern Wisconsin and currently lives in Milwaukee County. Away from work, he enjoys working out, hunting and fishing.

"He's been a great addition to our department."



Heather joined the Thiensville Police Department in January of 2014. She came to the department with years of experience. She started her career in Law Enforcement 12 years ago with the Port Washington Police Department and then took a job at the Ozaukee County Sheriff's Department as a dispatcher where there was extensive training for using skills during hostage or high risk calls for service. She lives in Ozaukee County with her husband and grown son. When away from work, she enjoys snowmobiling in Upper Michigan and volunteering at church. Heather was also chosen as one of several instructors that participate in a Mentorship Program at the Port Washington High School. This program focuses on bridging the gap within the students in their schools.

In Summary, I am very proud of my staff, as they bring a diverse background to the Village of Thiensville. My staff is available at any time to do whatever we can do to help our community.

Training

Every year each officer has to go through twenty four hours of continuing education. This training can vary from officer to officer with some training being mandated by the State of Wisconsin Department of Training and Standards Board.

Officers attended an eight hour classes in advanced or basic active shooter incidents. This built off the training officers had in 2013. These classes were held at local schools in the county and included officers and deputies from throughout the county. The training prepared our department to work with other agencies on large scale incidents. The day started with classroom exercises and instruction, and finished with a large scale active shooter incident that made the officers use the skills they had learned earlier in the day. The training included emergency medical care taught by the Ozaukee County SWAT teams on call doctor and a Medic from the DEA's tactical team.

Officers also train in their various areas of expertise which include computers, evidence collection, emergency medical training, tactical training, and firearms. Officers train the rest of the department in these skills and assist in investigations that require experts. We also now have officers trained in heavy truck enforcement, Alzheimer's first responder training, and drug endangered children. These are three areas that have a direct impact in our community.

In total Thiensville Police Departments sworn personnel received 420.5 hours of training in 2014. The police department strives to train officers so they have the most up to date information on laws and tactics. This allows them to stay safe and make the community a safer place.

The following is a list of each officer's training/education they received in 2014:

Chief Nicholson

- Chiefs Training Conference
- Kidnapping Investigation case review
- Advanced EMT Transition Course
- Weapons of Mass Destruction
- Blood Borne Pathogen / HIPPA Training
- Vehicle Pursuit
- LESB Handgun Qualification Course

Lieutenant Wucherer

- Supervisory Legal Update
- Taking Care of Our Own (Police Officer Suicide Prevention Course)
- Effective Personnel Investigation and Discipline
- Advanced EMT Transition Course
- Weapons of Mass Destruction
- Alzheimer's First Responder Training
- Blood Borne Pathogen / HIPPA Training
- Taser Instructor Recertification
- State of Wisconsin Instructor Update Course (Firearms)

LESB Handgun Qualification Course
RMS Portal Training
Taught Basic and Advanced Active Shooter Classes

Officer Christenson

School Safety Summit
Wisconsin Crime Alert Training
Advanced Active Shooter Training
Cyber Investigation GPS Interrogation
Cyber Investigation Basic Cell Phone Investigation
LESB Handgun Qualification
Blood Borne Pathogen / HIPPA Training

Officer Neuman

Advanced Active Shooter Training
Blood Borne Pathogen / HIPPA Training
LESB Handgun Qualification
Basic Crime Prevention
Truck/Heavy Truck Enforcement Law

Officer Belzer

Blood Borne Pathogen / HIPPA Training
LESB Handgun Qualification
Alzheimer's First Responder Training
Investigators Education Seminar
Search and Seizure Law
Taser Instructor

Officer Sullivan

Blood Borne Pathogen / HIPPA Training
LESB Handgun Qualification
Basic Active Shooter Training
Radar/Lidar Training
Nark Pouch Training
Search and Seizure Law
Impaired Driving/ 4th Amendment Update

Officer Hooper

Radar/Lidar
Alzheimer's First Responder Training
Blood Borne Pathogen / HIPPA Training
LESB Handgun Qualification
Search and Seizure Law

Special Police Officers 2014

Special Police Officer	Lt. Mike Catena
Special Police Officer	Lt. Mike Adams
Special Police Officer	Sgt. Bob Eisold
Special Police Officer	P.O. Don Molyneux
Special Police Officer	Sgt. Douglas Koerner
Special Police Officer	P.O. Elmer Prenzlow
Special Police Officer	P.O. Laurie Catena
Special Police Officer	P.O. Ryan Campbell
Special Police Officer	P.O. Patricia Heinritz
Special Police Officer	P.O. Joe McGinty
Special Police Officer	P.O. Renee Dahman
Special Police Officer	P.O. Matt Anderson
Special Police Officer	P.O. Nicole Schneider
Special Police Officer	P.O. Joel Deutsch
Special Police Officer	P.O. Derek Dobratz
Special Police Officer	P.O. Erik S. Petersen
Special Police Officer	P.O. Greg J. Perlewitz
Special Police Officer	P.O. Elliot R. Schneider
Special Police Officer	P.O. Brian Kucharski
Special Police Officer	P.O. Kaye Redeker

Thiensville Special Police Officers

As in the past I would like to start by thanking the men and women of the Thiensville Special Police Unit. Their devotion to our community makes this truly a great place to live and visit. It is the members of the Special Police Unit that allow the Police Department to handle large scale events that take place in our community that would otherwise be impossible. The next time you are at one of the large events please take a minute to see how many people come to our community. The seven members of the Police Department would not be able to handle the events and maintain day to day operations without the Special Police Unit.

The Special Police take part in every festival, parade, and community activity. They direct traffic, assist in crowd control and maintain security during events. The Thiensville Special Police assisted for a second year in a row providing security in the music tent for Lion's Fest. Their performance was excellent and they did such a great job that the Lion's Club requested them again for 2015. During community events they help give directions, find lost children, and assist in providing security. During emergency situations they can be called in to assist the Police Department anytime day or night. They can also be seen performing ride a longs with sworn officers.

Each year the Special Officers attend training to keep them up to date on current police tactics and procedures. This training occurs the second Thursday of every month and is two to three hours long.

In 2014 the Special Officers gave a total of hours 945.75 of service to the Village of Thiensville. Of the time 711.75 hours were for special events and ride a longs and 234 hours of training.

In 2014 The Special Police had 20 officers on the roster. One of the officers has been serving since 1967. During the year we lost one key members to changes in jobs and the ability to continue serving. The loss was quick with a turn around that brought two new members to the organization. The two individuals are excited and learning quickly. They will help to maintain the outstanding quality of service the community has been provided by the Special Police Unit.

The Thiensville Police Department looks forward to the continued support we receive from the Special Police Unit, and the professionalism and commitment they provide to the Village of Thiensville.

Crime Index-Part I and Part II Offenses

Crime reports are classified as Part I or Part II offenses under the guidelines of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Uniform Crime Reporting, (UCR) standards.

During 2014, 25 Part I Crimes – were reported in Thiensville. All of the Part I Crimes were property crimes. There were no crimes against persons reported.

A total of two burglaries were reported in 2014. One was during the day in the early summer and the second was during the day as well, however, it occurred in fall. Arrests were made in early January, 2015, now awaiting the suspects to go to trial.

In 2014, our officers in conjunction with the State of Wisconsin Crime Lab identified the suspect from the 2013 burglary that was still open. The suspect was interviewed and admitted to the crime.

Part II Offenses are those incidents that are less serious, but still investigated. In 2014, the department saw an increase of 46% in Part II Offenses. The large majority was an increase in Municipal Ordinance enforcement.

PART I OFFENSES 2010 - 2014					
Offense	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Murder	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual Assault	0	3	3	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0	0
Battery	4	9	3	3	2
Burglary	2	4	3	2	2
Theft	9	15	10	9	18
MV Theft	1	1	0	0	1
Arson	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	16	32	19	14	23

PART II OFFENSES 2012 - 2014			
Offense	2012	2013	2014
Other Assaults (Simple)	5	4	2
Forgery and Counterfeiting	2	0	1
Fraud	4	1	1
Embezzlement	0	0	0
Stolen Property	0	0	1
Vandalism	1	6	2
Weapons	1	0	1
Prostitution	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	0	0	2
Drug Violations	2	5	6
Gambling	0	0	2
Family Offenses	3	1	0
OWI	16	8	7
Liquor Laws	11	18	20
Drunkenness	0	0	0
Disorderly Conduct	15	8	6
Vagrancy	0	1	0
All Other Offense Municipal Ordinance	6	30	95
Warrants	26	30	36
Curfew and Loitering Law	2	4	2
Runaways	0	0	1
TOTAL	94	116	185

Property Stolen and Recovered by Type and Value

Last year a total of \$43,168.00 worth of property was stolen as a result of crimes. Our department recovered a total of \$26,898.00 which is a recovery of 60.5%. Two burglaries were noted in 2014, which arrests were made in both of them, sadly electronics and jewelry were taken, which are usually pawned within a short period of time after the burglary occurs. We also experienced several thefts which still remain open that accounted for the majority of the clothing and misc. theft. Our department will continue to work hard to recover property taken as a result of a crime.

PROPERTY BY TYPE AND VALUE

MONETARY VALUE STOLEN

Type of Property	2013 Stolen	2013 Recovered	2014 Stolen	2014 Recovered
<i>Currency, Notes, etc.</i>	\$306.00		\$364.00	
<i>Jewelry</i>	\$12,300.00	\$10,800.00	\$9,921.00	\$300.00
<i>Clothing</i>	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$1,175.00	\$257.00
<i>Stolen Motor Vehicles</i>			\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00
<i>Office Equipment</i>			\$2,223.00	
<i>Television, Radio, Stereos</i>			\$1,290.00	\$75.00
<i>Firearms</i>				
<i>Household Goods</i>				\$441.00
<i>Consumable</i>	\$430.00	\$403.00	\$301.00	\$731.00
<i>Livestock</i>				
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	\$510.00	\$290.00	\$2,894.00	\$94.00
TOTAL	\$13,571.00	\$11,518.00	\$43,168.00	\$26,898.00

Adult Arrests and Juvenile Apprehensions

The Thiensville Police Department participates in the Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) system. The crime statistics for the Village of Thiensville are submitted monthly to the Wisconsin Department of Justice. The information is then forwarded to the Federal Bureau of Investigations. The FBI compiles nationwide crime statistics and publishes the Uniform Crime Reports in November of each year.

In 2014, adult arrests for adults increased from 91 to 137, a 51% increase and juvenile apprehensions went from 19 down to 7, a 63% decrease. Criminal arrests for adults are placed in two different categories, felonies for serious crimes and misdemeanors for all other.

Adults that commit crimes are referred to the District Attorney's office for criminal charges and juveniles are referred to the Department of Human Services where sanctions can be imposed. For repeat juvenile offenders, the youth can be sent to the secure juvenile detention facility.

ADULT ARRESTS BY CATEGORY													
January - December 2014													
Offense	Adult												Total
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	
Murder/Manslaughter													0
Forcible Rape													0
Robbery													0
Aggravated Assaults												1	1
Burglary									1				1
Larceny / Thefts		1	3										4
Motor Vehicle Thefts			1										1
Arson													0
Other Assaults (Simple)	1		1	1		1			1		2		7
Forgery/Counterfeiting										1			1
Fraud							1						1
Embezzlement													0
Stolen Property			3										3
Vandalism			1				1		1				3
Weapons												1	1
Prostitution/Vice													0
Sex Offense													0
Drug Violations		1	4			1	5		1				12
Gambling													0
Family Offense													0
OWI	1		2								1		4
Liquor Laws		12						1			4		17
Drunkenness													0
Disorderly Conduct		2	1	3			1						7
Vagrancy													0
All Other Offenses Municipal Ordinance	5	13	3		1	1	2	2	3	5	3	2	40
Warrants	1	5	5			2	2	2	4	5	1	7	34
Curfew and Loitering Law													0
Runaways													0
TOTAL													137

JUVENILE ARRESTS BY CATEGORY

January - December 2014

Offense	Juvenile												Totals	
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Murder/Manslaughter														0
Forcible Rape														0
Robbery														0
Aggravated Assaults														0
Burglary														0
Larceny / Thefts														0
Motor Vehicle Thefts														0
Arson														0
Other Assaults (Simple)														0
Forgery/Counterfeiting														0
Fraud														0
Embezzlement														0
Stolen Property														0
Vandalism														0
Weapons														0
Prostitution/Vice														0
Sex Offense													1	1
Drug Violations														0
Gambling														0
Family Offense														0
OWI														0
Liquor Laws				1			1							2
Drunkenness														0
Disorderly Conduct														0
Vagrancy														0
All Other Offenses Municipal Ordinance						1	1							2
Warrants														0
Curfew and Loitering Law						1	1							2
Runaways														0
TOTAL														7

**ADULT AND JUVENILE ARREST BY CATEGORY
2013 - 2014**

	Adult		Juvenile	
	2013	2014	2013	2014
Offense				
Murder/Manslaughter	0	0	0	0
Forcible Rape	0	0	0	0
Robbery	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assaults	0	1	0	0
Burglary	1	1	0	0
Larceny / Thefts	3	4	0	0
Motor Vehicle Thefts	0	1	0	0
Arson	0	0	0	0
Other Assaults (Simple)	6	7	1	0
Forgery/Counterfeiting	0	1	0	0
Fraud	1	1	0	0
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property	0	3	0	0
Vandalism	2	3	0	0
Weapons	2	1	0	0
Prostitution/Vice	0	0	0	0
Sex Offense	0	0	0	1
Drug Violations	5	12	1	0
Gambling	0	0	0	0
Family Offense	2	0	0	0
OWI	3	4	0	0
Liquor Laws	6	17	2	2
Drunkenness	0	0	6	0
Disorderly Conduct	7	7	2	0
Vagrancy	1	0	0	0
All Other Offenses Municipal Ordinance	24	40	3	2
Warrants	28	34	2	0
Curfew and Loitering Law	0	0	2	2
Runaways	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	91	137	19	7

Traffic Crashes

Last year 45 traffic crashes were reported to the Police Department. None of these crashes involved serious injury and no fatal crashes were reported. A total of 3 person injury crashes were reported for the entire year of 2014, the same number as 2013.

May was the worst month for crashes; logging a total of 9 crashes for the month. The only reason for the month of May to have increased may be due to the number of vehicles on the roadway due to the Spring weather.

During the winter months, the numbers were extremely low, I believe this is due to the excellent road system in Thiensville and fine work by Andy Lafond keeping the roads clean and safe.

The department recorded only one alcohol related crash, which is very low for a suburban Milwaukee area department.

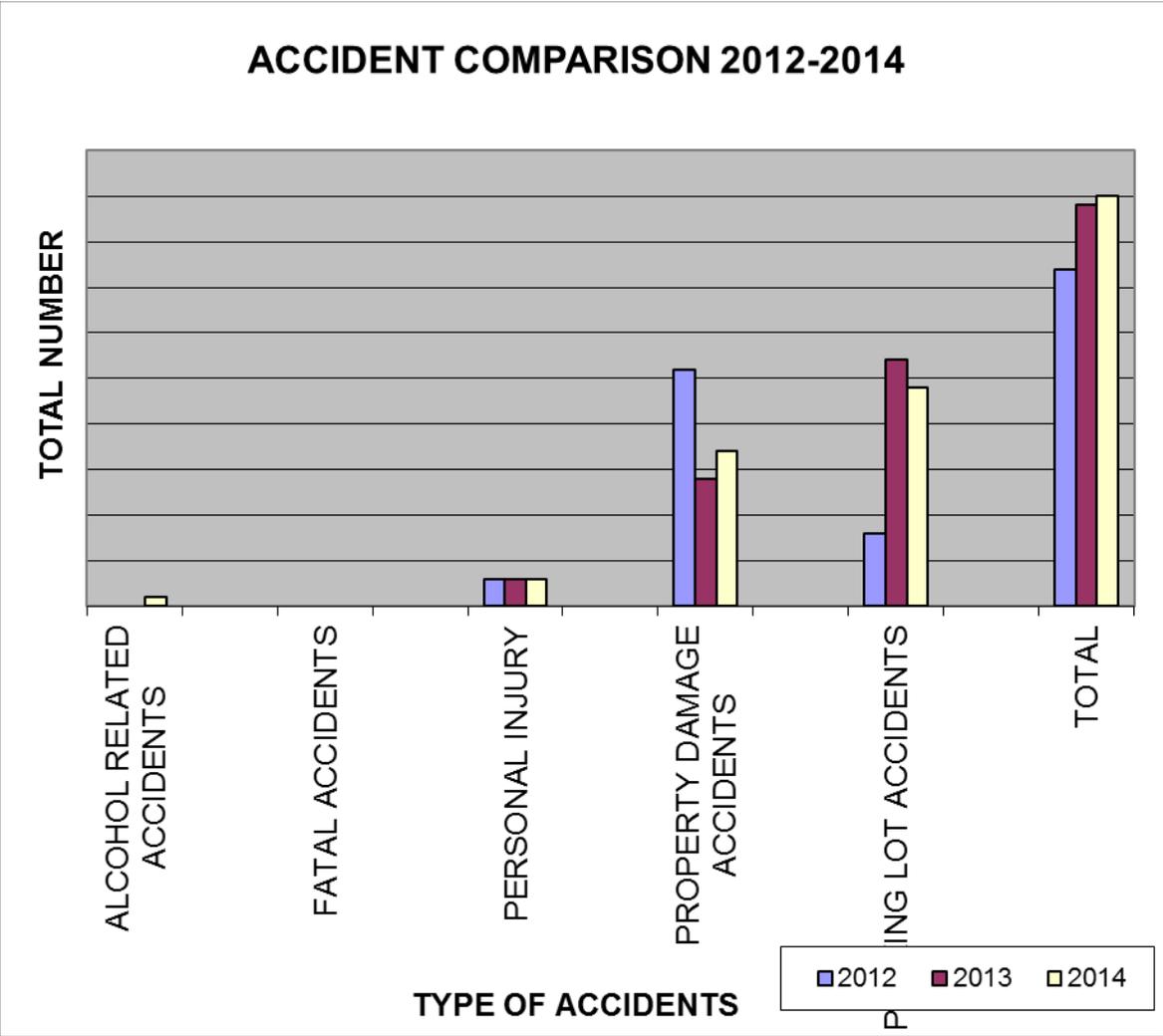
The comparison charts indicate the crashes are spread out during the year with the majority of the crashes occurring in parking lots, not on our roads.

I feel with continued traffic enforcement and participation in the “Click It or Ticket” program, it makes Thiensville a very safe place to operate a motor vehicle.



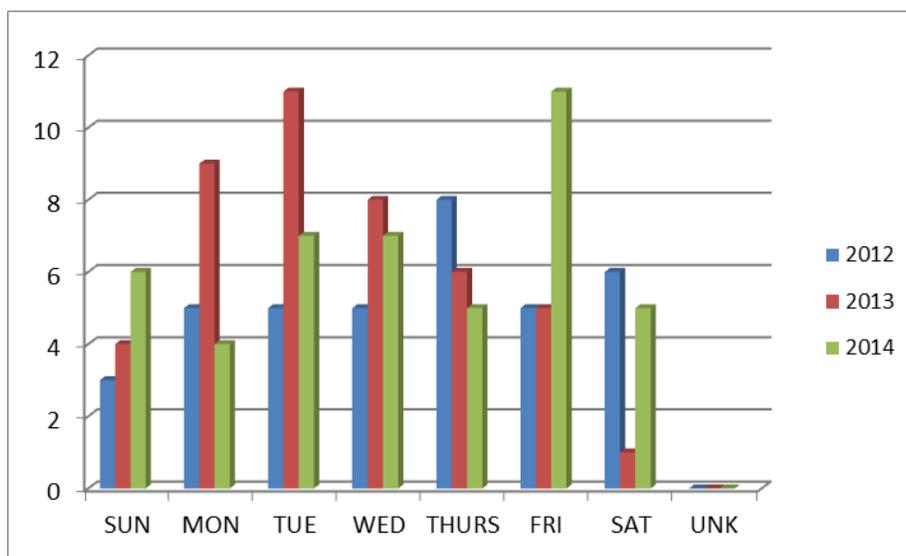
ACCIDENT COMPARISONS

	2012	2013	2014	Change
ALCOHOL RELATED ACCIDENTS	0	0	1	100%
FATAL ACCIDENTS	0	0	0	0%
PERSONAL INJURY	3	3	3	0%
PROPERTY DAMAGE ACCIDENTS	26	14	17	21%
PARKING LOT ACCIDENTS	8	27	24	-11%
TOTAL	37	44	45	2%



2014 ACCIDENTS BY DAY

	SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT	UNKNOWN	TOTAL
JAN	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	4
FEB	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	3
MARCH	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3
APRIL	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	3
MAY	0	0	2	2	1	3	1	0	9
JUNE	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	5
JULY	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
AUG	1	1	2	3	0	0	1	0	8
SEPT	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
OCT	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
NOV	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
DEC	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	3
TOTAL	6	4	7	7	5	11	5	0	45



Traffic and Parking Enforcement

The following tables represent a three year comparison of traffic and parking enforcement in the Village of Thiensville. In 2012 there were 551 citations issued for traffic related violations. In 2013 there were 597 citations issued for traffic related violations and in 2014 there were 605 citations issued for traffic related violations.

TRAFFIC AND PARKING ENFORCEMENT 2012 – 2014			
Enforcement Type	2012	2013	2014
Traffic Citations	551	597	605
Traffic Warnings/15 Days	633	870	712
Parking Citations	168	382	458
Parking Warnings	32	32	45
TOTALS	1,384	1,881	1,820

The following tables represent a two year comparison of traffic citations issued by type of violation in the Village of Thiensville.

Violations	2013	2014	Violations	2013	2014
Speed Violation	154	140	Reckless/Inattentive	4	6
Registration Violations	98	112	Lane/Passing Violations	4	11
Driver's License Violations	106	130	Hit & Run	2	2
Seatbelt Violations	33	26	Miscellaneous Rules	86	93
Equipment/Lighting Violations	13	25	Traffic Signs/Signals & Markings	65	29
OWI	6	7	Turning/Stopping/Required Signal	12	12
Prohibited Alcohol Violations	8	6	Right-of-Way Violations	2	0
Open Intoxicants	4	0	Handicap/Prohibited Stopping	0	2
Absolute Sobriety Law	0	4	TOTAL	597	605

Traffic enforcement increased in 2014 from 597 citations in 2013 to 605 citations issued in 2014, showing a 1% increase. All of the traffic citations written by the Thiensville Police Department are heard once a month using the Mid-Moraine Court System. The court is held in the Village of Thiensville board room with all cases being heard by Judge Steven Cain.

Warnings and 15 days decreased a bit going from 870 in 2013 to 712 in 2014. Parking tickets increased from 382 in 2013 to 458 in 2014, a 20% increase.

As the numbers indicate a large majority of our contacts are those of traffic stops that result into traffic citations. We take great pride in keeping the streets safe and control the number of accidents. By use of traffic enforcement, State of Wisconsin programs such as "Click or Ticket", "Booze and Belts", we can accomplish both tasks.

Warnings

Month	Traffic	Municipal	Parking	15 Days
January	11	2	21	30
February	30	5	5	19
March	52	0	39	35
April	20	2	21	9
May	19	1	44	16
June	26	1	45	17
July	34	2	84	28
August	19	10	48	23
September	41	5	11	62
October	56	5	57	6
November	50	0	61	23
December	26	4	22	23
TOTAL	384	37	458	291

712 – Warning/15 Days

Services

The following table shows a 3 year comparison of services provided and the miles patrolled by our officers. Our calls for services increased to the 2012 level and the miles patrolled also were back to the 2012 level. During 2013, the departments staffing was lower and new officers were being trained. The number of business checks went up 13% to 17,372. An 11% increase was recorded for open doors for businesses and vacation home checks. Vacation home checks increased 111% over 2013. Our officers are actively patrolling and checking doors on all shifts in order to keep the crime rate as low as it is.

Services	2012	2013	2014
Calls for Service	1,424	1,367	1,409
Miles Patrolled	40,787	44,477	43,121
Business Checks	14,796	15,327	17,372
Home Checks	248	581	1,021
Open Doors	56	58	122
Field Interrogations	12	30	14
Juvenile Referrals	13	9	2
Warrants	26	30	39

Expenditure and Revenue Summary

The 2014 budget allocation for personnel, commodities and contractual services was \$867,492.00. During the year, we expended a total of \$813,758.01 for our operations; leaving a surplus of \$53,733.99 using 93.81% of the budget. As the tables show, wages were below budget due to the department being short staffed in 2014.

We budgeted \$34,800.00 for collection of fines, parking tickets, bicycle licenses, report copies and fingerprinting. The department met the projection for the year. I credit our aggressive follow-up with past due traffic tickets and parking fines.

Each year, we review the prior year's expenditures to create a budget that we can work with and provide effective law enforcement service to our residents. Last year was no exception and I am pleased that our department again met its budgetary goals while protecting the Village. The summary of the 2014 budget authorizations, expenditures and revenue summaries follow for your review.

OPERATIONAL BUDGET				
Account	Services	Budget	Expended	Balance
100	Salaries – Wages	\$409,417.00	\$399,341.42	\$10,075.58
101	Overtime	\$8,872.00	\$9,805.34	(-\$933.34)
105	Holiday Pay	\$12,645.00	\$11,473.31	\$1,171.69
113	Chief Salary	\$75,080.00	\$75,007.76	\$72.24
115	Chief Training	\$150.00	\$441.90	(-\$291.90)
116	Chief Holiday	\$2,591.00	\$2,830.64	(-\$239.64)
197	Police Chief Fringe	\$41,406.00	\$38,906.16	\$2,499.84
199	Fringe Benefit	\$262,261.00	\$224,694.71	\$37,566.29
	TOTAL	\$812,422.00	\$762,501.24	\$49,920.76

REVENUE SUMMARY			
Revenues	Budget	Receipts	Variance
Court Fines	\$29,000.00	\$26,688.03	\$2,311.97
Parking Fines	\$5,200.00	\$7,405.64	(-\$2,205.64)
Miscellaneous Fees	\$600.00	\$700.80	(-\$100.80)
TOTALS	\$34,800.00	\$34,794.47	\$5.53

Account	CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	Budget	Expended	Balance
200	Printing	\$400.00	\$3.58	\$396.42
201	Postage	\$300.00	\$38.44	\$261.56
202	Dues and Subscriptions	\$400.00	\$318.50	\$81.50
213	Office Equipment	\$0	\$45.99	(\$45.99)
215	Police Training	\$4,000.00	\$3,840.20	\$159.80
216	Animal Boarding	\$300.00	\$340.00	(\$40.00)
217	Citations	\$0	\$130.00	(\$130.00)
218	Special Police	\$2,000.00	\$1,809.55	\$190.45
219	Teletype	\$1,900.00	\$2,077.00	(\$177.00)
220	Radar/Maintenance	\$500.00	\$155.00	\$395.00
221	Juvenile Programs	\$1,000.00	\$398.00	\$602.00
222	Emergency Government	\$2,000.00	\$1,019.18	\$980.82
223	Radio Maintenance	\$5,000.00	\$4,697.40	\$302.60
	TOTAL	\$17,800.00	\$14,872.84	\$2,977.16

Account	COMMODITIES	Budget	Expended	Balance
300	Office Supplies	\$2,000.00	\$1,275.78	\$724.22
301	Reference Material	\$400.00	-0-	\$400.00
303	Telephone	\$2,400.00	\$2,620.47	(\$220.47)
307	Copy Machine Supplies	\$1,000.00	\$389.69	\$610.31
310	Fuel	\$14,000.00	\$15,927.20	(\$1,927.20)
311	Recruitment	\$1,000.00	\$1,288.25	(\$288.25)
312	Uniform Allowance	\$3,620.00	\$2,939.16	\$680.84
313	Photo Supplies	\$300.00	\$127.66	\$172.34
314	Investigation	\$1,500.00	-0-	\$1,500.00
315	Tires	\$1,000.00	\$564.65	\$435.35
316	Vehicle Maintenance	\$2,000.00	\$4,269.42	(\$2,269.42)
317	Ammunition	\$1,500.00	\$1,579.80	(\$79.80)
350	Body Armor/Leather	\$1,500.00	\$1,368.88	\$131.12
398	Miscellaneous	\$2,500.00	\$1,734.79	\$765.21
	TOTAL	\$34,720.00	\$34,085.75	\$634.25

Account	CAPITAL OUTLEY	Budget	Expended	Balance
400	Office Equipment	\$0.00	\$179.99	(\$179.99)
401	Vehicles	\$20,000.00	0.00	\$20,000.00
402	Equipment	\$5,000.00	\$22,721.24	(\$17,721.24)
	TOTAL	\$25,000.00	\$22,901.23	\$2,098.77

Municipal Court

The Thiensville Municipal Court is held monthly in the board room at the Thiensville Village Hall. The court is run under the umbrella of the Mid-Moraine Municipal Court which we are 1 of 16 departments that the court serves. Our administrative secretary/dispatcher is responsible processing all adjudicated cases, recording case dispositions, submitted reports to the Wisconsin Department of Transportation and the clerk of courts in Ozaukee County.

While the court is in session, a Thiensville Police officer is assigned to the court and acts as the liaison and is responsible for the safe running of the court while in session and reads the facts of the case to the court and recommends to the court the appropriate fine or disposition. A total of \$26,688.03 was collected for the year of 2014. This compares to \$18,212.61 for 2013; which was an increase of 46%. A total of 680 cases were run through the Mid-Moraine Court compared to 674 in 2013, which accounted to 2.88% of the case load.

The Thiensville Municipal Court participates in the Tax Intercept Program from the Department of Revenue. Wisconsin State Statute permits the WDOR to intercept the taxpayer's refunds and credits unpaid fines and forfeitures. If all else fails, a warrant is issued for the person and the Thiensville Police Department is able to respond anywhere in a 4 county area to collect the traffic or municipal ordinance bond or transport that person to the Ozaukee County Jail. A total of 102 warrants were issued in 2014 compared to 77 in 2013 for people who were issued citations by the Thiensville Police Department.

Crime Prevention

The Thiensville Police Department stresses their crime prevention programs to keep the community informed and protected. Putting crime prevention information out to the community helps to protect the safety and financial security of Village residents. Each officer is responsible to perform these activities which include:

Officer speaking to various groups, ranging from kindergartner's to seniors, business owners on a variety of personal safety and theft prevention techniques. Last year we put on a program at Willowbrook regarding identity theft and fraud aimed at the elderly. Attendees learned ways to protect themselves and a question and answer session allowed them to have all their concerns handled.

Crime Prevention alerts and tips appear on the Quarterly Village of Thiensville newsletter and on the web page for the Thiensville Police Department. The Police Department is also connected with a state wide network that puts out crime bulletins on recent crime trends and suspects.

Home and business security inspections are available upon citizen's request. An officer will respond to the citizen's home or business and make recommendations to improve security and safety for the resident or business. Numerous businesses did take advantage of this service in 2014.

Officers were able because of generous donations from local service groups to pass out Green Bay Packer trading cards. This gives the officers contact with the youth of the community and helps to build a strong relationship with the youth of the community.

The annual Village Safety Day allows citizens of all ages to get to know officers in non-stress circumstances and develop a positive relationship with the community which may benefit the department in the future. The best way to prevent crime in the community is to have the community being the eyes and ears of the Police Department.

Juvenile Programs

The juveniles in our community are our future. To protect them and to give them knowledge to be safe the Police Department conducts several programs throughout the year. By having contact with the children we can help them learn skills to keep them safe, and present a positive image of what the Police Department can provide for them and their families.

The first program that is offered is a protective behaviors class. This class is taught to kindergarten, second grade, and fifth grade students attending the Mequon Thiensville School District. This class is taught along with Ozaukee County Family Services and the Mequon Police Department. The children are taught about strangers, child abuse, and Internet safety. The class teaches them how to stay safe and how to speak out against the different types of abuse.

Our Second program offered is Bike Day. Bike Day is held the first Saturday of June. Bike day has teamed up with the Mequon-Thiensville Bikeway Committee and the Mequon-Thiensville Lion's Club. Both provide volunteers to help with the day's activities. Around 75 kids of various ages showed up for a fun day in the park. The kids complete a skills course where volunteers from the Lions Club and Special Police Officers help instruct the kids on proper signals and handling of bikes. We would also like to thank, Suburban Motors Harley Davidson, Grube's Service and Towing, and the Mequon-Thiensville Lion's Club for monetary donations that helped to purchase giveaways for the children including two bikes. The Lion's Club members also donated ice cream that was given to each child that participated. Along with a monetary donation, Grube's Towing and Service also donated a bike to giveaway.

Safety Town is the local children. Safety Town is kindergarten. This program is cooperation with the Mequon two week program is held two early morning and late Town Graduated 56 students covers a wide range of safety safety, bus safety, strangers, many more. This is a highly and parents start calling early they know when they can sign program uses teenage help teach the children. These positions and the instructors call early in the year to confirm their spot to teach. We even had parents asking when their children get older if they could be instructors. Thanks goes out to The Mequon-Thiensville Optimist Club for their continued support of Safety Town.



third program offered to for children entering conducted in Police Department. This hours a day and has an morning session. Safety in 2014. Safety Town topics including fire rules of the road, and sought after program in the year to make sure up their children. This volunteer instructors to too are sought after

The Police Department also attended Fun Fairs in the Mequon-Thiensville School District, and provided tours for various youth groups throughout the year. The Police Department also participated in special interest day at Oriole Lane School.

Safety Days was another great activity. Police cars and equipment were on display and Officers and Special Police Officers were available to answer the public's questions.

Juvenile programs and events present a great opportunity for children to interact with Officers and to learn while having fun. The positive interaction between the Police Department and the community helps to establish a trust between residents and the Police Department. The safety and education are part of the Police Departments continued operations. The department continues to adapt programs with current trends and changes in technology that create new risks to the children. The Police Department continues to strive to make the community part of the Police Department and the children are a large part of that community.

Miscellaneous Programs

Mentorship Program

Dispatcher Boesch is a mentor for the Mentorship Program which is a six week program that was held during the Spring and Fall of 2014. The program allowed the adult (mentors) the opportunity to spend time with students from the Port Washington High School.

Each group has a student mentor and three or four other students that are classified as Tier 1 (High Risk), Tier 2 (On the Fence) and Tier 3 (Peer Student). The Peer Student is a high functioning student who is respected among the student body and volunteers to be a part of this program.

The topics we discussed were Integrity, Success, Value, Goals, Never Giving Up and Courage. Last year we also discussed Wisdom, Honor and Respect.

The students take turns reading, the mentor asks questions between readings and adds wisdom/experience about the topic. The mentor asks the students to write down weekly thoughts about the topic and a quote that is selected to remember for the following week. The questions that the mentor asks between the readings are to generate conversation among the students.

The goal of the program is to reduce truancy, bridge school/social gaps, improve self-image, provide role models, demonstrate equality among the groups, demonstrate that others care, decrease juvenile crime and to provide conflict resolution.

The interaction with these students is a 1 hour commitment each week from the mentor, our goal is to make it the most valuable time of the week for our students.

I was fortunate enough to have the same three girls last year for both the Spring and Fall program. My peer student graduated in June and attended her graduation. I was also advised this year at our orientation that another one of the girls I had from last year who was a Tier 1 student will be a peer student next year. She has made a full transformation in which she praises this program for. She wants to be a peer student and help the mentor, as she has gotten her grades up and is no longer having any issues with truancy or with the law.

Several of the students have said that this is the best part of their week, that it is nice just to have someone listen to them. Many of the students come from broken homes and have been in trouble with the law. It is great to be able to give back to the High School that I graduated from in 1992.

I look forward to returning to the program in Spring of 2015!

Thank you for the opportunity to mentor these young ladies. I am extremely grateful and blessed to have been asked to participate in this program and look forward to seeing what the future holds for them!

Medicine Collection Program



The Thiensville Police Department has partnered with the United States Drug Enforcement Agency collecting expired or unused prescriptions and non-prescription medication. The goal is to keep the drugs out of the hands of our young people and to prevent the drugs being flushed down the toilet in the waterways.

The DEA cut the funding to the program in late 2014; which lead the departments involved in the program to look at other sources for disposal. It is possible that the State of Wisconsin will take the lead in this program.

A total of 17 tons (34,026lbs) of unwanted, expired or unused prescription drugs have been dropped off at more than 175 collection sites in Wisconsin, the Village of Thiensville being one of them.

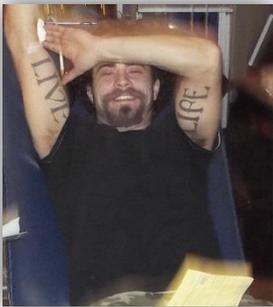
Tip-A-Cop

Again this year, our department, in conjunction with the Special Olympics of Ozaukee County participated in the Tip-A-Cop Program. In 2014, the Highland House was the site where Officer Belzer and Officer Hooper participated in the program. Our officers enjoy it and it helps as a fund raiser for the Special Olympics. The officers go to the restaurant on their off time and assist the local establishment in serving food for a night. The restaurant donates a portion of the food bill to the Special Olympics.

Special Olympics



Blood Drive



Our department has sponsored two blood drivers during this past year. Our Holiday Blood Drive has been a part of the holidays for years. This year, due to an outbreak of the flu and other winter related illnesses, our number of collections were down, but every pint of blood collected helps a person in need during the season. We look forward to future years partnering with the Blood Center of Wisconsin.



Shop with a Cop

The Saukville Police Department sponsored “Shop with a Cop” during the Holiday Season. Police Departments from Ozaukee County gathered together to meet with children from within the county to shop for their families at the Saukville Walmart. The morning started out with the children meeting their Officer or Deputy that they were going to shop with. After meeting, they ate breakfast (donated by Prime Minister of Thiensville) together. During breakfast they made a list of the items that they wanted to get for family and friends for the holiday. Once their lists were completed, they all headed over to Walmart together and shopped. Several dispatchers assisted with the wrapping; once the children were done with their purchases, a room was set up in the back of the store to wrap all of their purchases. After wrapping all the gifts, everyone headed back to the Saukville Police Department where there were three cakes, donated by Mila’s Bakery.



Toys for Tots

In 2014 the Thiensville Police Department ran the Toys for Tots collection drive. Thanks to the help of local businesses like Glaze, Schmit Ford, Suburban Harley and Great Lakes Pool and Spa. This year we collected 242 toys. Thank you to businesses for allowing toys to be collected at your stores. A toy collection was also conducted at the Village tree lighting ceremony again this year. The generosity of the community is greatly appreciated; the new toys went to kids that would have gone without.



Conclusion

An Annual Report serves many purposes. I believe the Thiensville Police Department's Annual Report is a type of report card we generate for our community. Through the report, we point out not only what the tax payers received for their investment, but praise ourselves for the effort of previous years.

I believe the 2014 Annual Report shows the truly professional level of service our personnel have provided to the Village of Thiensville. Quality personnel are the keys to any successful operation. We have a young, enthusiastic group of officers providing superior law enforcement services.

As I look forward, we know there will be changes, but our department will adapt to meet those challenges.

World events have changed our lives in many ways and changed law enforcement.

I want to thank the residents of Thiensville for their continued support and assistance throughout the year in keeping our community a safe place to raise a family and run a business.